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COMMITTEE REPORT

YES: 11 NO: 0

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on <u>Education</u>, to which was referred <u>Senate Bill 191</u>, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

- Page 2, delete lines 31 through 42.
- 2 Page 3, delete lines 1 through 3.
- Page 3, after line 8, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 4 "SECTION 2. IC 20-8.1-15-11, IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
- 5 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
- 6 JULY 1, 2004]: Sec. 11. If a student has left the school, the student
- 7 is not included in clauses (A) through (I) of STEP FIVE of the
- 8 formula established in section 10 of this chapter, and the location
- 9 of the student is unknown to the school, the principal shall send
- a certified letter to the last known address of the student,
- inquiring about the student's whereabouts and status. If the
- certified letter fails to locate the student or if no response is
- received, the principal may submit the student's information,

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1 including last known address, parent or guardian name, student 2 testing number, and other pertinent data, to the state attendance 3 officer. The state attendance officer, using all available state data 4 and any other means available, shall attempt to locate the student 5 and report the student's location and school enrollment status to the principal so that the principal can appropriately send student 6 7 records to the new school or otherwise document the student's 8 status.".

(Reference is to SB 191 as reprinted January 16, 2004.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Representative Porter

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